

### **Amendments to the Specification**

*Please amend the paragraph on page 1, lines 11-15 as follows:*

Manufacturers and vendors of electronic assemblies (e.g., computer motherboards, circuit boards) often wish to dispose of an assembly if it is broken or defective in some manner, is obsolete or is otherwise no longer usable or ~~otherwise~~ needed. Manufacturers often contract with third parties for disposal of such assemblies.